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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136

A two (2) month extension of time from, August 3, 2002, up to and including October 3, 2002, is requested to respond to the Office Action mailed May 3, 2002 (Paper No. 169). A check in the amount of \$200.00 is enclosed in view of the small entity status of the application.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments which may be required to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

Respectfully submitted,

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